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GERMAN AND BRITISH REPLIES MENACE U.S.

PLANS TO PUT IDLE ON FARMS ARE UNDER WAY

Money Needed to Tenant
3,500 Acres of Drain-
age Land.

WANT ORGANIZATION.

BY HENRY M. HYDE.
Fifteen hundred one
acre farms of tillable
and fertile land or
3,000 of half an acre
each are ready for as
many Chicago fam-
ilies whose breadwin-
ners are unemployed
or working only part
time during the com-
ing spring and summer.
The land is offered free of charge by
the sanitary district. With it goes the
free use of 3,500 acres of less fertile
land, which might be used for pasture.
All of the land offered lies within a
few miles of the city. Much of it is along
the line of the main drainage channel
in the southwest section, while there is
also a large acreage bordering the new
dug channel to the south. There is a
limited amount of land which might be
cultivated on either side of the Wilmette
channel to the northwest of the city.

Police Guard Gardens.
One great advantage of the sanitary
district property for family gardens and
small truck farms lies in the fact that it is
rigorously patrolled by the police force of
the district, who could protect the gar-
dens from molestation by marauders
without necessitating the employment of
special guards.
Most of the sanitary district land lies
out so far from the congested residence
districts of the city that those who cul-
ivate it would be obliged to spend an hour
or two in riding to and from their homes.
It has been suggested, as has been done
about several large cities in Europe, that
small shacks or even tents might be
erected on the land, in which unemployed
families might live during the growing
season.

Land Should Be Inspected.
The great difficulty is that of finding
an organization which has the necessary
machinery for handling such work on a
large scale. It would be necessary, in
the first place, to have the land offered
inspected by a practical market garden-
er, who would be able to propose each parcel
was best fitted for growing.
It would also be necessary to make ar-
rangements for having the land plowed,
fertilized where necessary, and put in
good order for planting.
If the family gardens are to be started
on a sufficiently large scale to make any
impression on the situation it will
be necessary to raise or at least to ad-
vance a considerable sum of money to
cover these preliminary expenses.

Confer with Mrs. Meder.
With the idea of at least making a
start towards taking advantage of the
offer of the sanitary district a conference
will be held this morning at the office of
Commissioner Meder of the department
of public welfare, with some of the of-
ficers of the City Gardens association.
The association has had five years' ex-
perience in the management of vacant lot
gardens on a small scale and knows the
[Continued on page 8, column 4.]

Reno Restored to Divorcees by Nevada Senate

Bill Requiring Only Six
Months' Residence in
State Passed.

NOW UP TO GOVERNOR

Reno, Nev., Feb. 17.—[Special.]—Reno
again is to become the divorce capital of
the United States. Rich men and women
again will become residents of the city—
for six months at least—and through their
fastidious tastes the business men of Reno
will find the profit side of the ledger soar-
ing.
And Reno will be happy. The real estate
men will find occupants for empty cot-
tages, the grocers will have new and large
accounts, and as for gossip, well, Reno
hasn't been the same to the women folks
since the divorce colony became persona
non grata by act of the legislature.

Senate Passes Divorce Bill.
But the legislature has changed its
mind. Today the senate capitulated be-
fore the state-wide fight for the restora-
tion of Reno to the divorcees.

By a vote of 12 to 10 it passed the bill
which requires only six months' residence
in the state as grounds for divorce pro-
ceedings.
But there is one obstacle yet to be re-
moved before the divorcees can have
Reno.

Gov. Boyle, who was elected because the
people believed him in favor of the di-
vorce bill, was wavering tonight on the
question of signing the measure.
"I intend to withhold my decision," the
governor said, "until after hearing ther-
oughly the arguments of both sides."

The governor must act on the bill within
five days after it has been engrossed and
reaches him.
Persons close to the governor say he will
either sign the bill or let it become law by
default.

If the governor should feel compelled to
depart with the legislature on Friday for
San Francisco to preside at the formal
opening of the Nevada building at the
exposition, Gov. Sullivan, unquestionably
would sign the measure.

"FARM TO FLAT" TRADING DUE TO FAIL, SAYS GROCER.

Asserts He's Found Farmers Ask
More for Products than Retail
Dealers in Chicago.

Uncle Sam's scheme to reduce the cost
of living by introducing direct trading
from the farm to the flat by means of the
parcel post is doomed to fail, according to
Sol Westerfeld, of 1400 West Madison
street, a grocer, who spoke last night
before the School of Domestic Arts and
Sciences.
He says he has discovered that farmers
demand more for their products than the
prices quoted to the housewife in the city
by the retailers.
"A farmer of Warsaw, Ind., quoted new
laid eggs to me at 44 cents, when the av-
erage price in our groceries was from 35
to 38 cents. He asked 35 cents for bacon
and 15 cents for pure lard. The highest
price I have for lard is 15 cents and for
bacon 28 cents. A woman in Decatur,
Mich., asked 6 cents a pound for onions in
twelve pound lots, while they're sold here
in any quantity at three pounds for 30
cents."
Mr. Westerfeld announced that Senator
John A. Swanson will introduce in the
legislature a bill to make the use of trad-
ing stamps illegal.
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BLOCKADE ON; GERMANS SINK TWO VESSELS

British Guard Coasts to
Prevent Landing of
Teuton Troops.

SHIPS HELD IN PORTS.

(By Cable to the Chicago Tribune.)
LONDON, Feb. 18, 3 a. m.—The Ger-
man proclamation of a maritime war son-
net about the British Isles has now been in
effect since midnight, London time, or 7
o'clock last night by New York time, and
the full force of that country's submarine
destructivity is supposed to have been
loosed in an effort to isolate Great Britain
and ruin its shipping commerce.
As a result military law has superseded
civil in practically all the coast cities and
districts to prevent any possible attempt
on the part of the Germans to land troops.

Germans Torpedo Two Boats.
The Germans in their blockade effort
did not wait for the stroke of midnight
to begin their campaign. They started,
or rather they continued their previous
efforts on Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock,
when they torpedoed and sent to the bot-
tom the British steam collier Dulwich,
whose crew of thirty-one, with the pos-
sible exception of two, escaped solely by
their own efforts. This attack was de-
livered at a point twenty miles northeast of
Cape Haze, France, in the English chan-
nel.
Shortly after the destruction of the
Dulwich a German submarine blew up
and destroyed the French steamer Ville
de Lille, off Bordeaux, the crew saving
themselves in the ten minutes allotted
them by the German commander.

French Save Norwegian Ship.
A statement by the French ministry of
marine announcing this fact contains the
information that the submarine, which is
believed to have been the U-10 and cer-
tainly one of the U class, subsequently
pursued a Norwegian steamer, which was
saved by the arrival of French destroy-
ers.

This is the first instance in the war of
an attack upon a vessel of a neutral
power. Norway is expected now to sup-
plement its previous protest to Germany
by a reference to this definite case.

Ships Are Held in Ports.
In order to prevent any unnecessary
loss of life all ship service between Eng-
land, Holland, and France, except to
one point in the latter country, has been
stopped. No change has been an-
nounced in transatlantic sailing sched-
ules, however.

That the blockade declared by Germany
will react on to a great extent was
evidenced here tonight when a wireless
message from Berlin was intercepted which
saw British and French warships are block-
ading the Bulgarian port of Varna, with
the intention of preventing the exportation
of foodstuffs destined for Germany and Aus-
tria.

Says Germans Have Done Duty.
BASEL, Feb. 17, via Paris.—The Co-
lombian Gazette in its issue of Feb. 15,
a copy of which has been received here,
published a telegram from Berlin say-
ing:

"Three days only separate us from the
date fixed for our British commerce. The
two weeks' notice given on Feb. 4 of
the intention to begin operations on Feb.
18 has been utilized by the enemy. Never-
theless, we have placed ourselves in a
correct attitude toward neutrals.
"What menaces them above all are the
mines placed by Great Britain against our
submarines, and also, one must say, the
mines which our submarines will carry
into the entrances of English ports."

Lines Nearing War Zone.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 17.—Twenty-eight
steamers, sailing from New York and
carrying more than 1,000 American pas-
sengers, are speeding to the war zone to
face the peril of German torpedoes. They
will be subject to the retelling ordered
by the German admiralty beginning to-
morrow against British merchantmen.
The big White Star liner Adriatic is due
to arrive here tomorrow night or early
Friday. It carries about 400 passengers,
a large part of whom are Americans, and
a rich food cargo. Every precaution will
be taken to insure its safe passage
through the Irish sea. In the belief that the
Germans may attempt to strike a specu-
lar submarine blow by sending it to the
bottom. At about the same time the Nor-
wegian vessels Bergenfjord will enter
the war area established by the German
admiralty.
A dozen freighters and smaller steam-
ers, some of them carrying valuable car-
goes, are likely to be with a member of the
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Old Newsboys Cry 'Xtry' Today for Aid of Poor

Men Risen to Prominence
Will Appear at City's
Principal Corners.

102 WILL "COME BACK"

Look for the Sash Today!

Today is "Old Newsboys'
day." You will recognize the
authentic "old timers" by a can-
vas sash bearing the legend,
"OLD NEWSBOYS' DAY FOR
CHARITY, FEB. 18, 1915." The
proceeds are to be turned over to the
industrial commission, of
which Prof. Charles R. Henderson
is chairman, for the assistance
of the unemployed and their
families.

Thirty years ago more or less a little
urchin, who probably rejoiced in the name
of Wart or Butch or Skinnay, used to sell
newspapers to the Chicagoans of that
day. His only assets were a clear eye, a
strong arm, a wary disposition, and a
pugnacious determination. In later years
he succeeded in turning these assets into
a substantial bank account—but that's
another story.

Today he is coming back—102 of him
altogether, according to the latest count.
And he is coming back with a fur collar,
a diamond shirt pin, a brass band,
a cabaret show, a boy choir, performing
animals, and whatever other "trade
boosters" his ingenuity can devise.

Seek \$10,000.
Beginning at an early hour this morn-
ing the old-time newsboys who hustled
in the "two" to support themselves and their
families are going to hustle again—this
time for charity. Ten thousand dollars
is their goal, and you needn't expect any
change when you buy your paper today.
The ingenuity and determination of the
"boys" has been stimulated by the offer
of John R. Thompson to give a silver lev-
ering cup to the one whose net proceeds
are largest. Francis X. Troxell, legal
representative of the Chicago City Rail-
way company, so far seems to have cap-
tured the lead. He said yesterday he had
promises of contributions totaling \$2,500.

\$600 by Night.
Charles McCulloch, secretary of the
executive committee, up to night had re-
ceived more than \$600. Some of the \$100
contributions were from the following:
Frank D. Stout, Victor F. Lawson, Aus-
tin F. Doyle, and Max Annenberg, circula-
tion manager of The Tribune.
Fred Smale, an old Chicago boy, now a
farmer at West Union, Ia., came to town
with a contribution for the fund, which
he had raised in his home town by selling
fifty-four copies of The Tribune at \$1 a
copy. Tony Ross, president of the News-
boys' union, contributed \$25.
"We will make 'Old Newsboys' day'
an annual affair if the day is a success,"
said Mr. McCulloch.

Watch for the Bear.
A special dispensation from the police
has been obtained to permit the "boys"
to pull their stunts today. Joe Green, in
a perfectly new knickerbocker suit, is
planning to have some singer and a real
live bear at Randolph and La Salle. A
flower intends to have some stunts on
the drawing card at the Great Northern
hotel corner. He anticipates at least
fifty-four copies of The Tribune at \$1 a
copy. Irene O'Connor act as cashier.
The volunteers received their creden-
tials in the city hall. They then went
up on the roof, where they posed for the
"movies." "Old timers" who have not
yet arranged to participate may do so by
telephoning Charles F. Henschel, Frank-
lin 4100.

ANARCHISTS URGE RAIDS ON CAFES BY 'UNEMPLOYED.'

Hull House Speakers Tell Listeners
to Go in Restaurants and Take
What They Need.

"Go into the restaurants and take what
you need" was the substance of the ad-
vice given by anarchist speakers at last
night's meeting of the "unemployed" at
Hull house. Five hundred men and a
small scattering of women filled Bowen
hall and cheered the suggestion.
"Schuetler says we talk too much,"
abounded a baldheaded, bespectacled man.
"Well, let's do something. Haven't you
as much nerve as a gumball? If you
haven't you deserve to starve."
"They say the county jail is crowded.
Let's let them send some of us there.
Every time they put one of us in it will
crowd a gumball out, and Chicago will be
a lot better off with a few more gumballs
loose. It may take the city up."

NEITHER SIDE YIELDS POINT ON PROTESTS

High Official Refers to
Situation as Gravest
in Many Years.

GREY NOTE OBSTINATE

BULLETIN.

LONDON, Feb. 18, 3:07 a. m.
—Telegraphing from Copenha-
gen, the Daily Mail's correspond-
ent says he learns from Hamburg
that the belief prevails there that
Emperor William is going to
Hogoland personally to direct
Germany's submarine blockade.
"The wheat shortage in Ger-
many," the correspondent adds,
"was concealed until the last mo-
ment for fear of discouraging the
people. It is much greater than
has hitherto been believed. Ger-
many will only escape famine be-
fore the next harvest by a narrow
margin."

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.
Washington, D. C., Feb. 17.—[Spe-
cial.]—Official Washington is seething
tonight with ill suppressed excitement
aroused by the latest developments in the
European war situation directly affecting
the interests of the United States.
Some of the highest officials of the gov-
ernment fear that the nation has reached
the brink of a momentous crisis in its re-
lations with Germany.

The situation as regards Great Britain
is also of absorbing concern to the gov-
ernment. The British note received to-
day says "It is impossible for one belliger-
ent to depart from rules and precedents
and for the other to remain bound by them."

THREAT IN GERMAN REPLY.

The German reply to the protest of
the United States regarding the peril to
which American shipping would be sub-
jected by the proposed course against
British vessels was handed to Ambassa-
dor Gerard in Berlin last night.
The full reply has been cabled to
Washington, and now is being translated
from code. Mr. Gerard, however, sent a
preliminary message giving an outline of
Germany's views.

Although President Wilson and ad-
ministration forces refused to divulge
the contents of the note, it is known to
be of a threatening character. In it
Germany practically tells the United
States government to mind its own busi-
ness, and virtually charges America with
violating neutrality.

SENATORS ADMIT GRAVITY.

This information emanated from
senators who had called at the state
department and later discussed the
matter with members of the foreign
relations committee.

That this reported character of the
note and suggestion concerning the as-
surance of the interned German ships in the
event of trouble with Germany were dis-
cussed at the meeting of the foreign re-
lations committee was disclosed later in
the day.

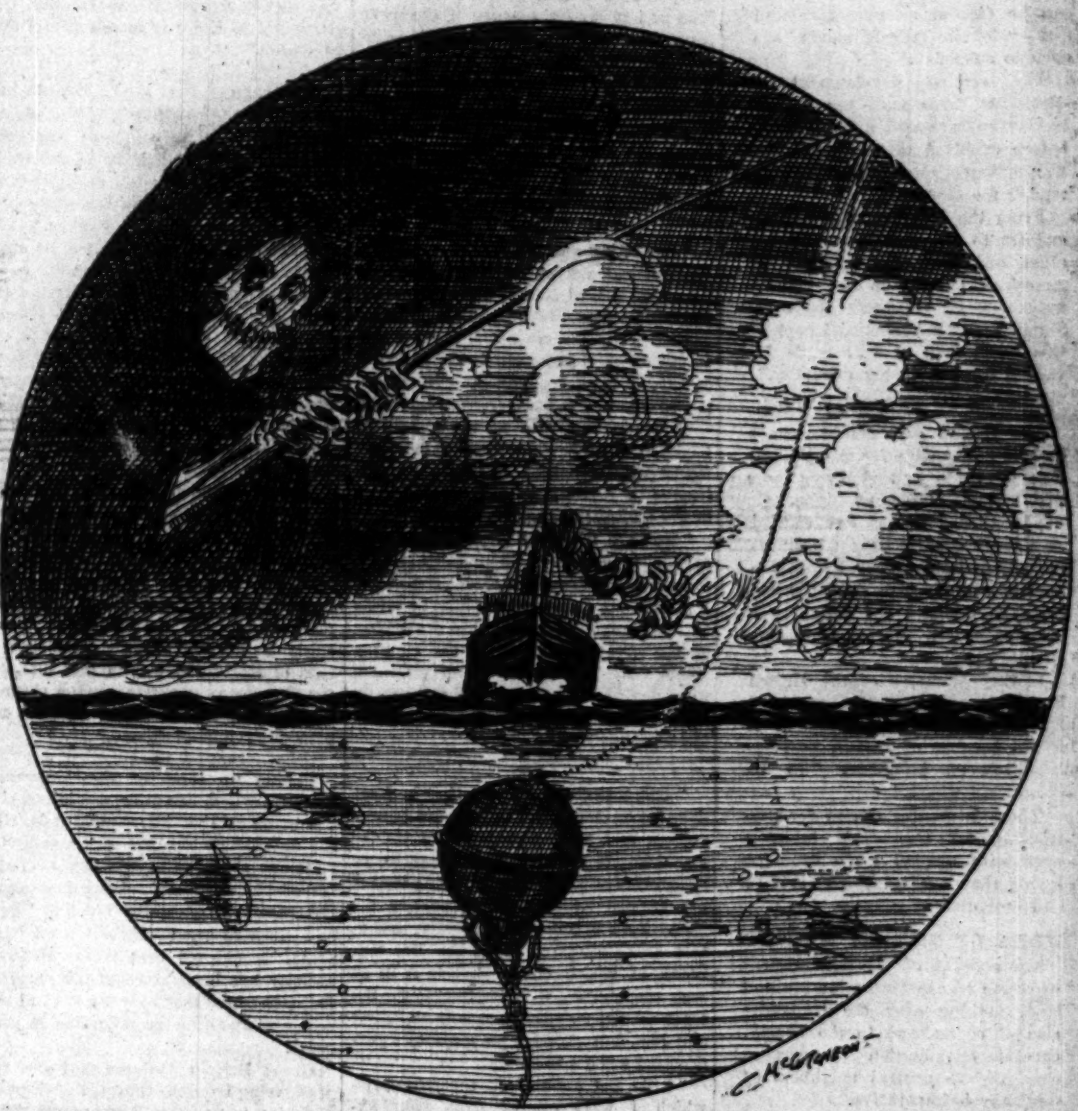
Several members of the committee
scouted the truth of the report and re-
stated the prediction that when the note
arrives it will be found to be not only
friendly but pacific, although it is not ex-
pected that Germany will yield an iota
in its attitude on the questions involved
in the war zone decrees.

ASK AID OF REPUBLICANS.

So grave, however, is the situation
that the administration has abandoned
its policy of conferring upon foreign
questions with the Democratic mem-
bers of the senate foreign relations
committee, and has called in the Re-
publican members, notably Senators
Root, Lodge, Burton, and Borah.
This is a tacit admission that the
situation has "come to the water's edge."
As Senator Root phrased it, where
party lines should give way to purely
patriotic counsels.
The Tribune correspondent had a
long talk tonight with a member of the

"ROCKED IN THE CRADLE OF THE DEEP."

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Developments Which Show Peril to U. S. in Shipping Dispute.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 17.—[Special.]—The principal developments today in the crisis which the United States is facing as a result of the threats to American shipping contained in the attitudes of Great Britain and Germany follow:

Administration officials and sen-
ators were informed that Germany's lie
the note presented by Ambassa-
dor von Bernstorff protesting
against British interference with
American goods cargoes destined
for the civil population of Germany
and expressing "the firm hope that
the American government will stand
on its rights in this matter."

The state department made pub-
lic the supplementary reply of
Sir Edward Grey, British foreign
secretary, to President Wilson's
shipping protest which discloses
Great Britain not only in an un-
yielding attitude on the supervision
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trals, but threatening further inter-
ference, the shutting off of all food
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President Wilson canceled all his
engagements and devoted the day to
conferences on the German affair
and the contemplated rejoinder to
Great Britain.

The foreign relations committee
of the senate, some of whose mem-
bers conferred earlier with the
president, met and discussed the im-
pending crisis.

upon this suggestion would be recog-
nition of Germany's right to sink mer-
chant vessels without the universally
required preliminary of visit and search
for the establishment of nationality.

Furthermore, it is predicted that the
chances of the United States becoming
involved in the struggle in Europe would
be increased tenfold if American war-
ships were to be sent in numbers into
the area of operations: a single mistake
upon the part of a submarine com-
mander would put Germany in the po-
sition of having committed as hostile
an act against the United States as
could be conceived.

CANNOT FULFILL DEMAND.

It is pointed out that this govern-
ment went just as far as it properly
could go in the note to Great Britain
respecting the unauthorized use of the
flag.
It is declared that this government
cannot demand, any more than Great
Britain could assure, that no British
vessel fly the American flag when in
the vicinity of the area of operations of
German submarines.

In regard to the suggested daylight
entry of British ports it is admitted
that this is a procedure which is likely
to commend itself to any mariner under
the circumstances, but the suggestion
that the United States may be used
to convey American merchantmen is
not likely to be a welcome one.

CONVOYS ARE IMPOSSIBLE.

Many reasons are mentioned in ob-
jection to the suggestion of a convoy
for American merchantmen. The first
is that the United States ought not to
assume that its merchantmen are not
entitled to ply the high seas without
the forces of the navy actually present
for protection; that favorable action

THREAT IN BRITISH NOTE.

The British note is not reassuring
in its tone. Its most significant and
propaganda utterance is a threat to
throw international law and precedents
to the winds and institute dire mea-
sures of retaliation against Germany
which will cause unavoidable injury
to neutral interests. This is taken to
mean the institution of a blockade
and a still more rigorous interference
with American commerce for the pur-
pose of starving out Germany.
"It will still be our endeavor to

BLAMES SELLERS TO GERMANS.

Although the tone of the whole note
is courteous and friendly, Sir Edward
Grey takes occasion to intimate rather
pointedly that the American protest
was instigated by Americans seeking
to sell contraband to Germany.
In the veiled language of diplomacy
he reproves President Wilson for hav-
ing resorted to a protest instead of re-
ferring aggrieved shippers to the Brit-
ish prize courts and withholding diplo-
matic action "until their legal remedies
have been exhausted."
Throughout the official communi-

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and Savings bank, with
property at 1619 Michi-
gan avenue.

RUSSIANS LOSE 50,000 CAPTIVES IN EAST PRUSSIA

Berlin Reports Czar's Tenth Army Shattered in Nine Days' Campaign.

BERLIN, Feb. 17.—Fifty thousand prisoners, besides many cannon and machine guns, were captured by the Germans when the Russian Tenth army was defeated in the Masurian lake district in East Prussia, according to a statement issued by general headquarters here today. The rest of the communication follows:

"In a nine days' battle in the Masurian lake district the Russian Tenth army, consisting of at least eleven infantry and several cavalry divisions, not only was driven out of strongly entrenched positions east of the Masurian lake plateau but was forced back across the frontier.

"Utterly defeated at almost every point, only the remnants of the army managed to reach the woods east of Suwalki and Augustowo, where they are being pursued.

"Captives Not Yet Counted. "The number of prisoners taken has not been ascertained, but certainly exceeded 50,000. More than fifty cannon and sixty machine guns, besides an unknown quantity of war material, were captured.

"Emperor William was present during the decisive fighting in the center of the front. The victory was won by veteran East Prussian troops assisted by other troops who were young for such work, but showed their worth. The achievements of these troops under fearful weather conditions, marching by day and night and fighting against such a stubborn enemy, are beyond all praise.

"Field Marshal von Hindenburg directed the operations with masterly skill, and he was brilliantly assisted by Gen. von Dithmar von Buelow."

Further Gains in Poland. The most recent progress of the campaign is shown in the following statement:

"North of the Niemen river our troops have followed everywhere the defeated enemy in the direction of Tauraghen. In the district east of Augustowo engagements occurred at many places during the pursuit of the enemy. A Russian column advancing from Lomza was defeated. Four hundred prisoners and six machine guns fell into our hands. A division of the enemy coming from Krasnawo was driven back towards Asawalc.

"On the conquered front from Plock to Radom in Poland north of the Vistula river, bitter fighting apparently is developing. To the south of the Vistula there are no new developments.

Bulgarians Trapped in Bukovina? The Russian army in Bukovina has been enveloped by the Austro-Hungarian army between the Pruth and Sereth rivers, a correspondent of the Tassblatt learns from a dispatch from Bialystok. One Austrian army pushing the Russians from the south now has reached Storochinets, while another Austrian force, having advanced eastward from Masarova against Russian troops, now stands in the vicinity of Cernovits.

A general battle may be expected, therefore, south and east of Cernovits. The Russian army has halted twelve miles from that point. The Tassblatt is informed, having met reinforcements.

MEXICO CITY EVACUATED BY CARRANZA; ZAPATA IN.

News Officials Hear Also That Villa Has Won Victory on the West Coast.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 17.—Gen. Obregon, the Carranza commander, has evacuated Mexico City, according to advices received tonight by news officials. It was said that the troops of Gen. Zapata had occupied the capital.

Troops under Gen. Villa have been victorious over the Carranzas forces at Santa Ana Occotlan, between Zepolitan and Mexcala, a west coast port, Juarez also heard.

It was stated that 200 of the Carranza forces had been killed. Gen. Villa himself was reported today as located at Chihuahua in Jalisco state.

GOVERNMENT BOAT VULCAN TO CARRY JEWISH RELIEF.

Space Reserved for 900 Tons of Supplies for Palestine Victims of World War.

Plans for 900 tons of food supplies for the Jews starving in Palestine have been allotted in the United States navy vessel Vulcan, which will sail from the Philadelphia naval yard about March 1. William Mack, secretary of the local relief committee, was informed yesterday of the sailing.

"In view of the short time still left us before the vessel leaves, we will have to ship supplies at once and rush them out by fast freight," he said. "Flour, sugar, rice, tea, and coffee have been ordered for."

GERMANY TO ORDER OUT RICH TO SAVE FOOD FOR POOR?

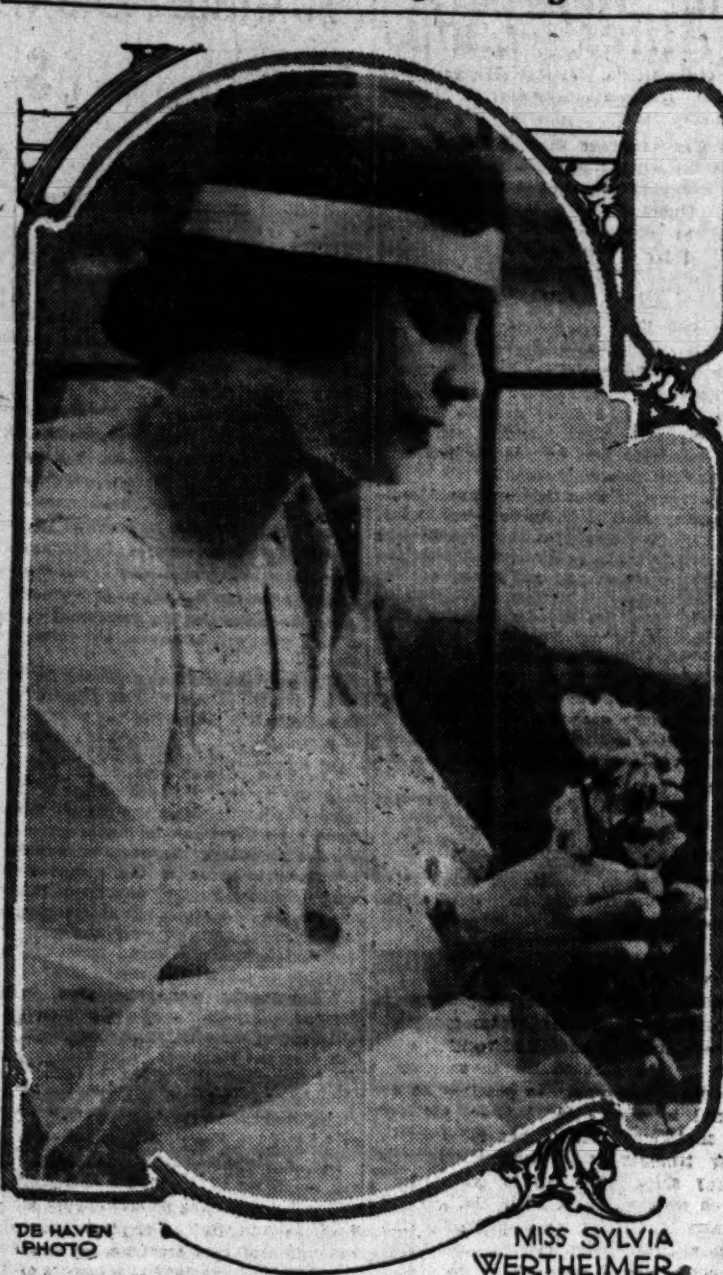
Report in Copenhagen Says 5,000,000 Will Be Told to Go to Neighboring Countries Until War Is Over.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 17.—The report is in circulation here that owing to the necessity to restrict food consumption the German government intends ordering 5,000,000 Germans who possess independent incomes and are ineligible for military service to leave Germany for neighboring countries and remain there until the war is over.

It is planned, according to the report, that 3,000,000 of these persons shall go to the Scandinavian countries, 1,000,000 to Holland, and 1,000,000 to Switzerland.

Monday Lease Set Aside. John McGovery yesterday set aside a lease granted into by Charles B. Munday, former vice president of the Detroit La Salle Street Trust company, with F. W. L. Reed for the property at 1615 Michigan avenue for ninety-nine years.

Star in Suffrage Playlet.



MISS SYLVIA WERTHEIMER. Miss Sylvia Wertheimer will play one of the leading roles in Norbert LaFont's suffrage playlet, "As We May Expect It," to be given by the Shakerpeare Dramatic and Musical club at the Douglas Park auditorium Sunday evening, Feb. 28. Others who will take part in the program are Bernard Schulman, Miss Geraldine Brin, Miss Sarah H. Hollender, Dr. Bernard D. Friedman, and Earl Cohlner.

CHEER AMERICA IN PARLIAMENT

House of Commons Applauds United States Officials' Action.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.] LONDON, Feb. 17.—The United States was cheered in the House of Commons this afternoon when the Hon. Neil Primrose, under secretary of state for foreign affairs, eulogized the action of the American consular officials in safeguarding British lives and property at Tabriz in Persia. Mr. Primrose's statement was in reply to a question concerning the effect of the Turkish occupation upon British interests in that city.

"The applause for the United States, in which members of all parties joined, is significant of the favorable impression created here by the recent actions of the American state department, particularly with regard to Germany's war zone proclamation.

Another instance of this kindly sentiment is the widespread interest created by the rescinding of the order keeping a ship's manifest destination secret for thirty days after the vessel has sailed, and in official circles commendation has been expressed for the comment of the Times, which was as follows:

"The United States government could scarcely have given clearer proof of their good will and their desire to eliminate as far as possible causes of friction."

Will Remedy Coal Situation. Replying in the house of commons today to the Labor party's motion that the government take over the means of transport and fix maximum prices of food and coal, Walter Runciman, president of the board of trade, said that the government already had taken steps to remedy the coal situation at London by pooling the railway cars to prevent congestion.

The financial measures taken by the government at the commencement of the war, which insured the flow of cash, he said, had prevented food from reaching much higher prices than now prevailed.

What Controlled Abroad. The commodity which had increased most in price was wheat, and this was controlled abroad. There was no evidence of an unnatural holding back of stocks in this country, said the minister, who added that he would not hesitate to embark on state control of ships, if he thought that this would do to the national interest, but at present, he declared, it would make the situation ten times worse.

Freights, he said, were measured by the needs of traders for ships, and their increase was not due to wicked machinations on the part of the ship owners.

EXPORTS OF AUTO TRUCKS INCREASE 432 PER CENT.

War Believed to Have Aided in Gain of 1914 Over 1913—\$4,490 Machines Sold Abroad.

New York, Feb. 17.—An analysis of official export records issued here today by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, asserted that the exportation of motor trucks from this country during 1914 increased more than 432 per cent in value over 1913. Motor trucks for use by the warring nations of Europe are being believed to have aided materially in swelling the increase.

In 1914 the automobile manufacturers of the United States sent abroad 5,430 commercial vehicles valued at \$6,985,733, as compared with 1,000 valued at \$1,694,000 in 1913.

The total number of motor vehicles of all kinds exported last year was 25,700, worth \$20,507,464.

GERMANS CLAIM TROOPS ROUTED ALLIED ATTACKS

Report Shows Kaiser's Men Beat Off Enemy at Several Points Along West Front.

BERLIN, Feb. 17.—The statement issued by the general headquarters today says several attacks by the allies have been repulsed by the Germans on the western battle front and that the German offensive in the Argonne continues to gain.

"The British and French yesterday and last night began especially stubborn attacks at many places," the statement says. "In their unsuccessful attempts to recapture positions which they lost on Feb. 14 the British lost in prisoners 4,000, and 170 men.

"Northeast of Reims, the enemy's attacks were repulsed. Two officers and 170 French were captured. In the Champagne district, with the exception of certain separate sections where the battle still continues, the troops of the enemy were repulsed everywhere. About 300 French were taken prisoner.

"In the Argonne we continued our offensive and captured further portions of the enemy's main positions, taking 400 prisoners, three machine guns, and four machine guns. In the Argonne, north of Toul, successes were recorded."

French Official Report. PARIS, Feb. 17.—The following official communication was issued by the war office today:

"From the sea to the Oise our artillery has carried on an efficacious shelling, which has dispersed a number of gatherings, blown up some caissons and destroyed some trains."

"To the north of Arras we have taken two lines of trenches and beaten back violent counter attacks. We have made some prisoners and inflicted on the enemy heavy losses. A number of German officers have been killed.

"In the neighborhood of Reims, near Louve, the advances made on Feb. 16, several hundred meters, have been maintained and consolidated.

Hard Fighting in the Argonne. "In the Champagne district we have followed up our gains to the northeast of Perthes and have captured positions of the enemy on a front of 500 yards. All the German counter attacks to the north of Meunier-Huriet and Beausjour have been repulsed. We captured a large bomb thrower and several small ones and 200 prisoners. This engagement continues."

"In the Argonne we have made progress in the forest of La Grue and maintained our gain notwithstanding two violent counter attacks and several sections of our quarters which have been lost to the enemy."

"A strong attack by the Germans was completely repulsed at Four de Paris."

"In Alsace we have taken control of the ridge which dominates the Suedel farm and have retained all the ground conquered."

KAISER WILL APOLOGIZE TO AMBASSADOR GERARD.

German Ruler to Make Amends for Insult to United States Envoy in Theater in Berlin.

BASEL, Switzerland, Feb. 17.—Emperor William will apologize personally to James W. Gerard, the American ambassador to Germany, for the hostile demonstration which occurred at a Berlin theater on the evening of Feb. 9, according to a telegram received today from Berlin. The emperor, it is said, will express his regrets to Mr. Gerard on the occasion of the ambassador's visit to his majesty at the East Prussian town of Konigsberg. Mr. Gerard is reported in the dispatch to have accepted the emperor's invitation to go to Konigsberg.

Ambassador Gerard and a party from the United States embassy were attending a theater in Berlin on Feb. 9, when a man in the audience protested because they were speaking English. "When informed that the ambassador was personally with them," the dispatch says, "the man was finally suppressed by the theater attendants."

NIGHTS OFF FOR MAIDS, AND A PARLOR, TOO, BILL ASKS.

Fein School for Deaf Is Sought Also in Wisconsin Assembly—800 Measures Introduced.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 17.—[Special.]—Today was "Feak Day" in the legislature. It was the last day for the introduction of bills in the assembly.

One of the 800 measures introduced provides maids must be given two nights off a week and a suitable recreation room for callers. The maids could not work longer than fifty-six hours a week.

Another bill proposes an agricultural school for the deaf. A legislative inquiry on unemployed also is sought.

Hitchock Thinks Otherwise. Senator Hitchock of Nebraska, however, does not share in this opinion. He delivered a speech in the senate this afternoon in support of a measure placing an embargo on the export of munitions of war.

The Nebraska senator declared that unless the exportation of wheat and other cereals, as well as most products, is stopped at once, there is danger of famine in the United States within the next six months.

Food Supply Depots Asked. Bearing more than 100,000 names in response to appeals by the national executive committee of the Socialist party, a petition asking President Wilson and congress to establish food supply depots was filed in the house today by Representative Kent of California, an independent.

The petition declares: "The speculators are arbitrarily and unnecessarily raising the prices of necessities of life," and that the government should conserve the interests of producers and consumers against speculators.

BOTH FRENCH CABLES SAFE. Company Says That They Have Been Interrupted, but Germans Cannot Cut Them.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.] PARIS, France, Feb. 17.—The French cable company announces that both of its cables have been interrupted, but not cut. The first broke some time ago, and a repair boat is now working on it. The second broke today 400 miles out from Brest. It is expected the complete repairs will be made within a week. The company's announcement says:

"The cables are absolutely protected against any German naval attack. It is absolutely impossible for hostile boats to cut them."

EXONERATES PIT FOR HIGH FLOUR

Expert Before New York Investigating Body Puts Blame on War.

CANBY MAY APPEAR.

New York, Feb. 17.—Only in a secondary way has speculation been responsible for the big advance in flour, in the opinion of Henry Heimer, chief statistician for the New York produce exchange. Mr. Heimer testified at the resumption today of the state's investigation into the increased cost of wheat and bread. The unprecedented demand for wheat from European countries on account of the war is directly responsible, Mr. Heimer said.

The hearing was adjourned today until Tuesday, Feb. 23, when it is expected that C. H. Canby, president of the Chicago board of trade, will appear. It is also believed that Joseph Letter of Washington will testify. J. Ogden Armour of Chicago, it was announced, had declined to appear, and no word was received from George E. Marcy, president of the Armour grain company, or from James A. Patten of Chicago.

Word was received that C. W. Partridge and Arthur W. Catten of Chicago would not appear. None of them can be brought here by subpoena.

War Blamed for High Prices. Summarizing his testimony, Mr. Heimer said:

"This country, were it not for the war, would be enjoying the lowest prices in foodstuffs in many years. If it had not been for the heavy crop of 1914 prices would be considerably higher today."

"The situation has been that the American public is obliged to pay more for flour this year than during the last fifteen years. In my view no big speculators are responsible for the advance which has been going on intermittently since Dec. 1, 1914. The urgency of the flour buyer forced the price up."

Mr. Heimer added that many grain speculators and sagacious individuals had foreseen such a result early in the year, and by speculating in futures had been able largely to sell or control the market and force up the price to an unusual extent.

Witnesses were called to throw light on the alleged boycott of dealers who sell flour for 5 cents in New York City. One testified that after he had announced that he would continue to sell at 5 cents, an agent for a wholesale baker said to him: "If you don't sell at 8 cents you won't get any more bread." The threat was carried out, he said. Other dealers testified along similar lines.

Marcy Didn't Get Notice. Pasadena, Cal., Feb. 17.—George E. Marcy, president of the Armour Grain company, Chicago, who said he had received no notice from Assistant District Attorney Becker or any other person to go to New York City to testify regarding the soaring price of wheat, flour, or bread, He added that there was "absolutely no speculation in grain in America."

"The price is too high," he asserted. "The farmer is getting full benefit of the price."

SEE DISABLED ZEPPELIN IN HOLLAND; BLEW UP LATER?

Airship of Parcel Post Type, Flying in Vertical Position, Seen Over Amsterdam Bound for the Sea.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—A big airship, believed to be of the Parcel Post type, apparently damaged by gunfire, flew over Amsterdam this morning, says a dispatch from that city to the Reuters Telegram company.

The airship was flying at a height of about 600 feet, and its crew was unable to keep the vessel in a horizontal position. Assuming a vertical position the airship drifted in the direction of the Zuyder Zee, arm of the North sea, carrying with it telegraph wires with which a dangling rope had become entangled. The air vessel was later sighted minus its gondola.

Zepplin Craft Explodes. COPENHAGEN, Feb. 17.—The Copenhagen office of the Politiken reports that a Zepplin dirigible exploded today over the Danish island of Fano off the west coast of Jutland.

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JAPAN DEMANDS MUCH OF CHINA; TELLS POWERS

Note Issued in Peking Reported to Have Omitted Part of Concessions Sought.

PEKING, Feb. 17.—The diplomatic representatives of the United States, Great Britain, France, and Russia have been presented by the Japanese legation here with a memorandum containing demands for eleven concessions by the Chinese government to Japan.

The memorandum deals with negotiations which began late in January and which had for their object the determination of the future status of Japan's relations with China and a decision respecting certain questions regarding the future development of the Chinese republic. The course has been guarded with great secrecy.

According to well informed sources, the Japanese memorandum omits at least ten of the twenty-one demands said to have been made by the Japanese. These secret demands became public, however, and were printed in the United States on Feb. 11.

Demands Shown in Memorandum. "The memorandum issued by the Japanese legation containing the eleven demands was substantially as follows:

In relation to Shantung, Japan asks that China transfer to her all rights and concessions previously enjoyed by Germany, and requires China to transfer Japan on all matters previously agreed upon between Germany and China in the province of Shantung.

China is asked to agree not to alienate or lease Shantung or any part of the coast on any pretext to any foreign government, and similarly no island near Shantung is to be leased to any foreign power.

China is asked to grant to Japan the right to construct a railroad from Kiang-Chau to Chi-Fu.

That certain cities in the province of Shantung shall be opened as treaty ports. In southern Manchuria and Mongolia, the extension is asked of the terms of the lease of the Kwang Tung (Port Arthur and Dairen) and the Manchurian and Mukden railroads.

In the same region Japan asks for the acquisition by Japanese of the rights of residence and ownership of land and the grant of mining rights.

Before granting railroad concessions in southern Manchuria or Mongolia to any power, China must agree to consult Japan.

Before choosing any foreign political, military, or financial advisers, China must consult Japan.

The transfer of the management and control of the Chang-Chin railroad is to be made to the Japanese.

China Makes Counter Proposals. It is learned that China has made three counter proposals respecting that portion of the Japanese demands which concerns Shantung. The Chinese government has signified its willingness to make a public declaration that China shall never cede a port, harbor, or island to another power, but it has declined to pledge itself to the retention of the status quo in the Peking government has expressed itself as willing to discuss any demands which it does not regard as infringing upon its own sovereignty or as affecting existing treaty rights with other powers.

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TURKS IN WAR ON THEIR OWN HOOK

Talaat Bey, Real Leader, Says Nation Was Not Urged by Germany.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 17.—"Turkey declared war without being urged by Germany or impelled by any other influences were those of the empire," said Talaat Bey today in a statement to the Associated Press, made in reply to questions concerning the political and military situation in his country.

Talaat Bey, who fills the posts of minister of the interior, minister of finance, and minister of marine in the Turkish cabinet, undoubtedly is the most important man in Turkey at the present time. He virtually directs the public affairs of the Ottoman empire.

Turks Not Urged to Fight. "Turkey engaged in military operations," he continued, "only when actions on the part of Russia and Great Britain made defensive measures necessary. The holy war is not menacing Christians, but the holy war is in fact which the enemies of the Mohammedan world should bear in mind."

"Christians in the Ottoman empire who are participating in the destinies of their country are not suffering from conditions brought about by the present state of affairs, and any statements to the contrary are a result of British, French, and Russian intrigues, the purpose of which is to direct against Turkey the pressure of neutral countries of lower standing in the Ottoman world."

Complaint Against Press. Talaat Bey complained of the attitude of foreign newspapers, including the American press, which he said were "obvious allies of the position of Turkey under the pressure of the entente powers and the efforts of the Young Turks to accomplish the reforms associated with that party."

"On land and sea alike the Russians and the British provoked hostilities," he declared. "Our action finally was the result of efforts to bottle up our feet by mining the entrance to the Bosphorus."

"Turkey is prepared to carry on the war to the end of the European conflict. The fact of being able to face the enemy on four fronts simultaneously against forces three or four times greater than ours, and to mobilize at the same time an army of more than 1,000,000 men for a reserve, is for us as well as for our allies a matter of the greatest importance."

Turks Anxious for War. The next statement of the minister was that victory for Turkey ever had been enthusiastically received in Turkey.

"Russia is our hereditary enemy, and Great Britain is the power which subjugated Islam," the minister said. "Nothing demonstrated the enthusiasm of the people so well as the formation of volunteer regiments in all corners of our immense empire."

Relative to the Dardanelles in case of a victory for Turkey and its allies, Germany and Austria-Hungary, Talaat Bey said briefly that all the results of such a victory would conform completely to the interests of Turkey.

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Wuxtra! Wuxtra! These Old Newsboys Are Selling Papers Today.



Be Good to That Newsboy, Men! He May Be Your Landlord in 1925

WHEN the "old timers" were boys, many of them used to pore over lurid weeklies with such titles as "From Newsboy to Merchant Prince" or "From Bootblack to Bank President" and their youthful imaginations were fired with thoughts of future power and affluence. In not a few cases the fact has matched the fiction. The stories of the lives of some of the old newsboys who will sell papers for charity today might furnish the material for better yarns than even Horatio Alger used to spin. Brief biographies of some of these "boys" are appended:

Henry M. Seligman, attorney, followed the approved newsboy route to success. He sold papers and studied law. In 1905 he was assistant county attorney, in 1909 assistant attorney general, and from 1907 to 1911 first assistant city prosecutor. He was born in Chicago, Dec. 8, 1872. He will sell at the southwest corner of La Salle and Adams.

Charles T. Wilt, trunk manufacturer, 219 Madison street, learned to smoke cigars while a "newsie" in the early '90s, and this cost him his first regular job. The "boss" came down one morning and found him with his feet on the desk smoking the "pill." Mr. Wilt later went west and became a cowboy and miner. He returned to Chicago, entered his father's business, and made a success of it. Mr. Wilt was born in 1859.

Joe Grein, former city sealer, now the owner of a saloon on Randolph street across from the city hall, used to sell extras when 12 years old at Randolph and La Salle. In this way he supported his widowed mother. Later he was a water boy in a factory, clerk, sub letter carrier, chief deputy ballist, member of the Forty-fourth general assembly, city sealer, and saloonkeeper. He was born in 1872.

Samuel M. Solomon, attorney, made possible his education by carrying a paper route. That was fifteen years ago. Mr. Solomon is 30 years old.

Charles A. McCulloch, general manager of the Frank Farmhouse company, thirty years ago sold papers at Robey and Lake streets, and among his customers were former Senator William Mason, former Ald. William Maypole, William Burk, president of the Birck brewery, and Alvin Hulbert, who built the Great Northern hotel. Mr. McCulloch was born Dec. 2, 1875. Recently he was instrumental in organizing the \$6,000,000 John R. Thompson corporation, of which he is treasurer. He is a member of the South South Shore and other clubs.

J. Louis Fraz, president of the Lake Shore investment company, sold papers to Union soldiers when 14 years

old. He was born in France sixty-eight years ago, came to the United States in 1835 and lived in Quincy, Ill., till 1886 since when he has been a resident of Chicago.

Morris Kaufmann, president of Kaufmann, Auerbach & Co., wholesale milliners, when 8 years old sold papers on the northwest side. He then became clerk, then dry goods merchant, on Milwaukee avenue.

Bert B. Slerts, secretary-treasurer of the Ferro Construction company, "newsie" in 1886 to 1889 at Armitage and Milwaukee avenues. He was born at Twelfth and Halsted streets on Dec. 1, 1877.

Peter Kelly, vice president of the Atlas Floor company, for twenty years beginning in 1883 had a news stand on the southwest corner of State and Van Buren streets, a location now presided over by his brother.

Eddie Redpath of 6610 Michigan avenue was born in Pittsburgh on July 18, 1897, and began his career as a newsboy and bootblack. He has lived in Chicago twenty-six years.

Dr. W. F. Borelli was a newsie for sixteen years to 1904. By this means and by shining shoes he put himself through a medical college. He is now a police surgeon. Dr. Borelli was born in Italy in 1880.

C. E. Frett, vice president and manager of the Central Bond and Trust company, dates his newsboy experience back to the Chicago fire, when he sold "Tus Tans" at Peoria and Madison streets. Mr. Frett is 66 years old.

John E. Owens, former county judge, sold papers "back on the old west side." Judge Owens was born in Chicago June 22, 1876.

E. R. Le Gere of 593 East Thirty-fourth place—newsboy 1878 to 1887, near the old "bar" at Thirty-fourth and State streets, shoe cobbler, proprietor of

a shoe shop, city superintendent of street waste, and real estate man. Born in 1879.

Charles E. Riddell, twenty years ago held State and Monroe streets. He is now a teacher in the Marshall High school. He is 38 years old.

James F. Navgate, manager of an undertaking establishment, was born May 14, 1878, on the south side, sold papers for seven years, and later engaged in the real estate and banking business.

E. J. Morton, western sales manager for J. V. Farwell & Co., thirty-five years ago was at Wabash and Harrison. Mr. Morton was born Feb. 22, 1867.

Oscar A. Lewis of the real estate firm that bears his name used to help his mother pay the rent back in the late "70s" by selling papers. He was secretary of the Chicago real estate board in 1899. He is 50 years old.

Frank M. Fadden, attorney, used to "scrap" for corners twenty-five years ago. He peddled papers from 1890 to 1894. Until recently he was connected with the

legal department of the American Telephone and Telegraph company. Mr. Fadden was born Feb. 12, 1880.

Samuel H. Bransky, proprietor of the commission firm of S. H. Bransky & Son, peddled papers from 1881 to 1892.

John F. Otto, who is 43 years old, was a newsboy from 1894 to 1897 at Jackson and La Salle streets. He is now a real estate man.

Ray S. Gaskill, attorney, was a newsboy in Minneapolis. He was born March 15, 1874, in Marina, Minn. After

coming to Chicago he was assistant city electrician 1896-'98. For four years he held a position in the Appellate court and in 1900 he was admitted to the bar.

Francis X. Troxell, legal representative of the Chicago City Railway company, sold "Tus Tans" in 1896 at Thirty-first and State streets, where he had a bootblack stand. He went to work as a conductor of the railway company in 1893 and graduated from the back platform to the claim department. Meanwhile he studied law. Mr. Troxell is 37 years old.

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Chicago in 1886 almost his first venture in the English language was learning to cry "Uxtry."

W. L. Bodine, superintendent of compulsory education for sixteen years, three years a director of the Juvenile Protective association, and four times president of the National League of Compulsory Education Officials, says selling papers cultivated "an independent spirit that is the making of a fellow." Mr. Bodine was a "newsie" in the '80s. He will be stationed at the Tribune corner today.

Thomas W. Flower, who holds an executive position in the installation department of the Chicago Telephone company, was born in London April 26, 1860, and dispensed extra editions in the "70s at Twenty-second street and Wabash avenue.

Dr. M. L. Puffer of Downers Grove helped pay for his schooling in the early '80s by the sale of "uxtras" at Jackson and State streets. He was born in Chicago in 1878. He is a veteran of the Boer and Spanish-American wars.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1915.

"Our country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong."

—Stephen Decatur.

THE HOUSE "ACTS" ON SHIPPING.

It is not clear just what advantage the partisan supporters of the ship purchase bill have gained through the too easy "coup" of going through the motions of passing the bill in the house. Has it been lent additional prestige—as some profess to believe?

There was no debate upon the measure in the house. Cautious orders were obeyed; that's all. Many of the Democrats who voted for the bill and vociferously charged opponents with subservience to a shipping combine had cursed the same bill in the cloak rooms and had bitterly resented executive dictation. To many of the Democrats the Fletcher bill means nothing and less than nothing; any other bill would have been swallowed quite as readily. There had been serious talk of amending the bill in some particulars and overcoming opposition; the president rejected such plans, and his followers shifted their position overnight. Who can take the action of the house seriously?

In the senate the situation has not changed in the least. The ship purchase bill as an amendment to a naval auxiliary bill is as objectionable as an independent proposition. The "amendment" should be defeated. Gag rule doesn't go in the senate; limitation of debate under a rule of reason—indorsed by the president in an optimistic talk to "callers"—has nothing to do with the present situation. The bill should be defeated regardless of any threat of a special session. The merchant marine problem, this Tribune repeats, deserves and should receive nonpartisan and scientific consideration by a representative and serious committee. The Fletcher bill is a crude and makeshift thing; a futile and ill advised affair that would hamper and prevent any rehabilitation of our merchant marine. That the opposition to it is partisan or unpatriotic or trust inspired is the wildest and silliest nonsense.

FREE DISCUSSION OF OUR DEFENSE.

It is reported that a member of the general staff, Capt. Mitchell, is to be asked to explain published remarks on the unpreparedness of the United States for defense. Among other assertions objected to is that it would take us about three years to put an army of a million men fit for modern service in the field, and that by that time an enemy could take and hold our seaboard.

This Tribune is of opinion that if the conditions of our unpreparedness were not fully known to possible enemies this frank utterance would be commendable.

But as these conditions undoubtedly are known to everybody except our public—and congress—the utterance is commendable. As we regard Secretary Garrison with respect, we are therefore unable to credit the hint that Capt. Mitchell is to suffer for what is a patriotic public service. If Mr. Garrison's colleague, the secretary of state, is so ignorant that he will declare that at the president's call there would assemble before nightfall a million men in arms, it is highly desirable that the effect of that seemingly authoritative but most foolish remark should be counteracted by men who know what they are talking about. No foreign government is deceived. Only our public is.

Resides this report of yesterday, a service journal has recently remarked that army and navy officers who have been expressing themselves on the defects of the national defense are marked for transfer or punishment of some variety. These rumors or reports raise an issue of great and permanent importance—namely: Are we to have established a policy of obsequiousness in the army and navy?

There is not one scintilla of excuse for it at this time in this country.

There are the most substantial reasons for its abolition. The reasons advanced for its defense are twofold. They are, first, that the condition of our defense ought not to be exposed to possible enemies; second, that to permit officers to discuss defense defects would be tantamount to permitting subordinates to criticize superiors, thus encouraging insubordination or weakening discipline.

To the first objection the answer is that all competent governments unquestionably are in possession of most of the facts of our naval and military weakness. There is, we are confident, a far better knowledge and appreciation of the defects in our defense in the German, the British, or the Japanese general staffs than there is in the military committee of our house of representatives. And this is not a matter of espionage. It is merely the result of information to be had from official documents—available to but unshared by congress, plus a knowledge of what naval and military efficiency involves—unknown to congress.

As for effect upon the spirit of the service, we are quite certain that the enforced suppression of facts and of fair criticism and the injustice involved in surreptitious discipline for the expression of a patriotic impulse are far more demoralizing to the spirit of the service than any effect of free discussion could be.

What is needed at this time is a thorough airing of our naval and military needs. Not merely the public, but congress also, are cravenly ignorant of them, of the principles which underlie adequate defense, of the history of our neglect of these principles in the past.

We are at peace. We have opportunity to con-

sider every phase of our defense problem. Why should we play the ostrich always?

The ban on competent discussion should be raised. It is a product of petty bureaucracy, injurious to the service and to the country. Recently Representative Gardner asked for an inquiry into our defenses and for the protection of witnesses. The necessity of that inquiry and that protection is clearer today than it was then. The all powerful house committee on military affairs under the guidance of the obstructionist Hay has ignored the secretary of war's proposals and given another exhibition of its perennial incompetence to deal with the army. Its hearings were manipulated and full discussion was evaded. What is needed to counteract obstruction is free and public criticism by experts. This will focus public opinion and provide the support necessary to accomplish such comprehensive economies and improvements as have been planned by the general staff and the naval board.

CLEARING THE TRACK.

Speaker Shanahan will observe with modest and unassuming pride that the chairman of the Constitutional Convention league is satisfied to have him elected, that the officials of the Legislative Voters' league are not dismayed, that the superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league expresses measurable content, and that, considering the magnitude of the mess and the improbability of its favorable outcome, everybody seems undisturbed.

This is a condition of affairs to be preserved, and Speaker Shanahan's statement of purposes improves the hope that it will be preserved. So far as the liquor question is concerned, the chief requirement in the speaker is fairness. He is not accountable for action the legislature may take, unless that action follows some unfair or equitable act of his. The determination of how things shall go with rum ought not to depend upon the personality or purposes of the man in the speaker's chair. The responsibility rests with the legislators, and their accountability runs to the people. Yet for seven weeks the question died the Illinois house up, to the disgust of most observers.

Now, if rum will get off the track, a program of legislation can be advanced.

A CHANCE FOR EFFICIENCY EXPERTS.

The decision of the Cook county commissioners to abolish the bureau of public welfare has stirred up a good deal of excitement and indignation. Leading women are protesting against the move and charging the commission with false and cruel economy, with indifference to the sick and destitute, the convalescent and the friendless.

On the other hand, Mr. Reinberg and other commissioners declare that the work of the bureau is largely duplicated by other departments of the county service, and that with a little readjustment and increased efficiency no valuable function of the bureau need be sacrificed. All that the "abolition" amounts to, according to the commissioners, is prevention of waste of public funds and of flagrant duplication.

This Tribune is informed that some of the women who are interested in the activities collectively described as "public welfare" admit the fact of duplication and waste, while venturing to doubt the intended retention of the valuable services under another department or another name.

Here is a very good illustration of the need of disinterested and competent advice by efficiency engineers. Why should not the county and the embattled civic workers compromise by employing independent efficiency experts to overhaul the county services and point out how and where to eliminate duplication, overlapping and waste? No earnest friend of the public welfare bureau would object to honest reorganization and genuine economy, and no progressive commissioner should favor the abandonment of the necessary "follow up" work of the bureau. The trouble is that the public can't get at the facts. Efficiency engineers would bring out the facts and suggest a basis of settlement. The city, by the way, needs an overhauling of its departments and bureaus as badly as does the county.

BARTZEN TURNS UP AGAIN.

The report that Peter Bartzen is working "quietly" for anything is false to believe. Fortunately, our credulity is not further strained by a report that he is working, quietly or otherwise, for any one but himself.

But the fact is undeniable that Peter is out after the state treasurer'ship. Last year he was after the state treasurer'ship—a long way after election day. It is to be hoped he will have the same experience on Feb. 23.

It is said Bartzen is relying on the German-American vote. Why should he get it? He is no credit to the German-Americans. On the contrary, he stands for waste and incompetence in public office, the opposite of Germanic economy and efficiency. He would have no more chance of getting a place of responsibility in the splendid administration of a German city, the pride of Germany and the admiration of the world, than he would in a prosperous and efficient private business concern in America.

Editorial of the Day.

KEFFELINS IN PEACE.

[From the Washington Post.]

A recent interview with Count Ferdinand von Zeppelin presents that distinguished inventor and man of world affairs in a most pleasing light. With the clouds of war hovering over himself and his country, he is still able to cast a cheery and hopeful glance into the future. By his own confession, the gigantic airships that bear his name have a greater mission to perform than that to which they are now being mainly devoted. Predicting the day when the transatlantic voyage will be made through the air, he hopes to live to pilot a dirigible of his own making to the shores of this country on a mission of peace.

How much better this than all the dreams of empire! What an improvement over the view that makes of the Zeppelin an engine of destruction is the happier outlook which sees it pursuing its unhindered way across the vast sea, upon which it will be privileged to look down at the slower argosies of commerce, representing the enterprise of all nations, each flying its own flag without fear or favor! Doubly to be desired is the coming day, when doing instead of undoing will be the rule of the people.

Back of Count von Zeppelin's expressed desire appears to be the further incentive of its entire practicability. For sustained flight under the most adverse conditions, the dirigibles are in no wise at a disadvantage with the aeroplanes. As a means for the transportation of numerous passengers or appreciable amounts of material, they are far ahead of the plane in serial navigation. The ingenuity that has been expended in making of the dirigible a menace to the enemy will find a better and probably more successful field in its application to the arts of peace.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

Motto: Here to the Line, let the quips fall where they may.

"TIPPERARY."

(As the late William Schwenck Gilbert would have done it if sufficiently inspired.)

Of all the calculations that appeal with other clarity to persons counsel with fondness for the mathematically art.

Take that which proves by figures the vast linear disparity in distance 'twixt when I'm here and Tipperary!

The journey's one which I must take with consummate rapidity.

In order that I shall regain possession of my heart—Thy' my vocal recitation hardly predicates avidity.

To rectify the error which has kept us thus apart!

To old Tipperary, O'Brien, with his glances and his glare!

To the long-bowls and the fairies of that chamber, Lester's agents!

To the Boney, London's action of Chicago's College Inn!

To the Guller Club, whose actors are abroad for Yankee tin!

The O'Brien's tap, my version of the American bar!

Farwell! Goodbye! "Way I must lie!" (Sobbing)—Tipperary's fair!

"Bye, dearheart! 'Bye, dearheart! 'Bye, dearheart! de Lill!"

You seem, I trust, to human now you're minus Marie!

"Bye!"

To all I sigh

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How to Keep Well.

By Dr. W.A. Evans.

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease, if matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitations and where a stamped, addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

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IS IT SAFE TO DRINK WATER ON A TRAIN?

TWENTY years ago it was the custom among careful people to take with them a supply of drinking water when traveling. Sometimes the water used was bottled water, bought on the train or in the town visited; sometimes commercial bottled water was taken along; sometimes bottles were refilled with water from the home supply. It was the rule that people going from one town to another developed a temporary diarrhea. Exceptionally some traveler got typhoid from the water.

The common opinion was that the chemistry of the unaccustomed waters caused the trouble. We now know that the trouble was due to pollution. Many water epidemics were traced to infection on boats, especially boats plying fresh waters.

Some of the lines have already corrected the objectionable customs respecting these infections. As the public health service is active, it is reasonably certain that the steamboat companies that now offend will get off the blacklist within a few years.

State legislatures quite generally have decreed against public drinking cups in railroad cars. The danger that one railroad passenger will infect another with typhoid has been removed. Is there any danger that a passenger will be infected by polluted water? A year ago there was some danger.

The public health service examined water from 1,000 cars in the winter of 1913-14. It found that the water on sleeping cars was almost uniformly good. Sometimes polluted water was put in the tanks. More frequently there was contamination of the water by the method of handling in wheelbarrows, in dirty boxes, with dirty hands. Now the ice is not put into the water, and, all in all, it may be said that Pullman dining cars drinking water got even a cleaner bill of health. The ice was fingered too much, but that was about all. The day coach and mail coach drinking water was found polluted in a considerable percentage of cases. The water coolers are small and need frequent refilling. The fingered ice was put into the water. Sometimes the water was from a polluted supply. Sometimes good water was polluted by handling.

Having discovered what the facts were, Surgeon General Blue issued orders governing drinking water on trains. The water coolers are small and need frequent refilling. The fingered ice was put into the water. Sometimes the water was from a polluted supply. Sometimes good water was polluted by handling.

SEPTIC TANK ACTION.

Inquirer writes: "Do you consider the septic tank perfect as to sanitation? What do you think is probably the cause of repeated attacks of soreness at the end of the spine?"

REPLY.

Septic tanks likely to be in sewage and thus prepare it for rapid purification. The septic tank is a perfect as to sanitation. What do you think is probably the cause of repeated attacks of soreness at the end of the spine?

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"THE DAY."

(From Langston Hughes.)

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OLSON ASSERTS HE'LL END 'PULL' IN CITY AFFAIRS

Public Servant Should Be Public Servant in Fact, He Declares.

"The citizen should need no intermediary to get a square deal in the city hall, and when I am mayor he will not need one," said Judge Harry Olson, Republican candidate for mayor, at a meeting last night in Pythian hall, 1107 Michigan avenue.

"The first thought of a man who has business in the city hall today," the speaker went on to explain, "is to look for a friend who 'has a pull,' who is right with the administration, to intercede for him.

"The office of mayor should be administered in a spirit of public service with regard to race, religion, or geographical considerations. It should be administered in a spirit of freedom from political, social or financial domination of any sort. This means that one man is as good as another in the city hall and should receive the same treatment at the hands of public officials.

Always Real Public Servant.
"I have been in public life for sixteen years. I solemnly declare that as far as I have been able every citizen has received a square deal at my hands. And that will continue to be my aim as long as I am in public office.

"Chicago has the finest citizenship and civic pride in the world. We are a great big plant of a city, eager to go forward and do big things. Think what progress Chicago would make toward better government and great civic achievements if the man in the mayor's office were not merely an aggressive leader of factional politics, who in order to maintain himself in power, would utilize the great public resources to accomplish personal political success.

All Citizens Welcome.
"The citizen, big or little, should have easy access to official action in the city hall. A post card directed to the mayor pointing out an evil should set the whole machinery of the city government into motion to speedily and, I may say, automatically correct that evil, and when I am mayor it will do just that."

Judge Olson took occasion again at this meeting to say that he always has been a Republican, and that as a Republican he will abide by the verdict given by the people at the coming primaries.

"Any statements to the contrary from my sources," he added, "are made with the intent to deceive and to mislead."

NO 'SLUSH' TAX ON LABORERS
Merit Body Finds Street Workers Did Not Aid Harrison Campaign Fund.

The civil service commission was unable to find that any of the employees in the city water pipe extension and sewerage departments were forced to contribute to the campaign of Mayor Harrison.

The commission finished its investigation yesterday and will present its findings to the council tomorrow afternoon. The inquiry was begun by the motion of Ald. Gustav Kuntz, who alleged laborers were taxed one day's pay.

GULLETT SEEKS STATE JOB.
Elizabethtown Man Announces His Candidacy for G. O. P. Secretary of State Nomination.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17.—[Special.]—The candidacy of James W. Gullett of Elizabethtown for the Republican nomination for secretary of state was announced today. He expects the backing of southern Illinois.

W. J. Keene Fined \$500.
W. J. Keene, president of the Chicago Street Railway, and not P. F. Fry of the West Chicago and Inland Empire, was fined \$500 by Judge Carpenter in the United States District court last Monday. Keene was charged with false swearing. Mr. Fry was the complaining witness.

THE ROYAL MAIL STEAM PACKET CO.
The Royal Mail Steam Packet Co., Ltd., 230 No. La Salle St., Chicago, or Any Steamship Ticket Agent.

HOLLAND AMERICA LINE
230 No. La Salle St., Chicago, or Any Steamship Ticket Agent.

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Notes of Campaign and the Candidates.

An anonymous circular has been mailed to city civil service employees warning them that if Robert M. Switzer should be elected mayor he would "pull out" hundreds of city employees to make place for his friends. For that reason these employees are urged to vote for Mayor Harrison.

In his public speeches yesterday Mayor Harrison said: "The Switzer campaign has been led by wholesale promises of jobs, and if he should win there would be no jobs at all for the city hall."

Managers of the Switzer campaign have shown the Harrison committee with statements the anonymous pamphlet among workers on special occupations and among various organizations. It is said the pamphlet on their face purport to be in the interest of Mr. Switzer, but are so worded they are calculated to injure his candidacy.

Now comes the committee of 100, representing what is called the Qualified Democratic League of Cook County, with a list of candidates recommended to the Democratic voters. At the head of the list is Robert M. Switzer for the majority nomination.

Gov. Dunne is advertised to speak for Mayor Harrison in Forum hall on Friday night and in the Coliseum on Saturday night.

Political Meetings Scheduled Today.

CARTER H. HARRISON.
First ward—Curtis hall, 13 m.
Twenty-first ward—North Side Turner hall, 123 North Clark street.
Twenty-third ward—St. Sebastian's hall, 123 North Clark street.
Twenty-fifth ward—Arcade hall, 440 Broadway.
Twenty-sixth ward—Lynn Trumbull school, Ashland and Foster avenues.

ROBERT M. SWITZER.
First ward—Princess theater at noon.
Seventeenth ward—Polish Union, Milwaukee avenue and Augusta street.
Sixteenth ward—Schoenhofen's hall, Milwaukee and Ashland avenues.
Twenty-eighth ward—Wicker Park hall, 3046 West North avenue.
Eleventh ward—Polish Church hall, Seventh and Paulina streets.
Tenth ward—Bohemian-American hall, 1446 West Eighteenth street.
Twelfth ward—Pian Park hall, Twenty-sixth street and Ashland avenue.
Twentieth ward—West Side Auditorium, Twelfth street and Blue Island avenue.

HARRY OLSON.
Thirty-first ward—Beverly hall, 150 North and Halsted streets.
Thirtieth ward—Graham school, Union avenue and Forty-third street.
Third ward—Warwick hall, 555 East Forty-seventh street.
Fourth ward—Trotter hall, 555 East Forty-seventh street.
Fifth ward—Universal hall, Thirty-first and Third streets.
Sixth ward—Universal hall, Thirty-first and Third streets.

WILLIAM HALE THOMPSON.
First ward—Curtis hall, at noon.
Federal theater, 230 East Sixty-third street, 8 p. m.
Leland square, at Kedzie avenue.
Delano school hall, Wilcox, Crawford, and Springfield avenues.
Lowell school hall, Spaulding avenue and Birch street.
Douglas Park auditorium, Ogden and Kedzie avenues.

CARTER H. HARRISON POSTER VANISHES FROM CLUB WALL.
Boys Seen Busy With Scraper and Bucket of Water, but City Club Men Are Nonplussed.

Who removed the Carter H. Harrison poster from the wall of the City club? Several days ago the earnest face of the mayor, done effectively in dark blue ink against a white background, appeared on the north wall of the club's building at 115 Plymouth court. Around it was a heavy circle, inscribed "Safety First," the Harrison campaign slogan.

When a Tribune reporter went to look for it yesterday it was gone. A man across the street said two boys had been hard at work with a scraper and a bucket of hot water.

CHARLIE TAFT HEADS CLASS.
Son of Former President Leads Yale Freshmen in Scholarship for Half Year.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 17.—[Special.]—Charles P. Taft, second son of ex-President Taft, was found today to have led the Yale freshman class in scholarship during the first half year of the college course. His father stood second in the class of '08, and the former president's father, Alphonso Taft, who was in President Grant's cabinet, led the class of '43.

BLACKHEADS AND PIMPLES ON FACE
Kept Getting Worse. Very Sore, Inflamed and Unsightly. Itched and Burned. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In Short Time Well.

Route No. 2, Box 27, Frederic, Wis.—"About a year ago, pimples and blackheads broke out on my face and kept getting worse and worse. At first my face was covered with blackheads and in a short time small red spots appeared here and there, which increased very rapidly. My face became very sore and inflamed. The eruptions were very unsightly and disfigured my face. At times they itched and burned so I had to scratch them and after that they got still worse.

"I used two different remedies that got no good results. I wrote of a free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent it to me. I used it and in a short time I found it seemed to give good results so I bought three cakes of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. They stopped the burning at once and in a short time I was completely well, and all disfigurement was gone."

(Signed) Gustav Friberg, November 5, '14. Beauty of skin and hair promoted and maintained by only use of Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment.

Sample Each Free by Mail
With 30¢ Skin Book on request. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. 7, Boston." Sent throughout the world.

STOMACH UPSET?
Get At the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now. Instead of taking tonics, or trying to patch up a poor digestion, they are taking the real red relief of the aliment—clogged liver and disordered bowels.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and all its troubles, cramps or pain.

If you have a bad taste in your mouth, tongue coated, appetite poor, lazy, don't eat, no sleep, no vitality or energy, troubled with undigested food, you should take Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color. They do the work without causing cramps or pain.

Take one or two at bedtime for constipation, so you can eat and sleep. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O.

MAYOR PLACES PRIMARY FOE ON QUESTION RACK

Asks Switzer If He Favors Contract Labor Plan and If Vice Backs Him.

"I ask Mr. Switzer whether, if elected mayor, he would continue the present system of doing city work wherever practicable by day labor, or whether he would change to the contract system, thus inviting a repetition of the shale rock and other scandals that shocked this community under the administration that immediately preceded mine?"

Mayor Harrison turned across examiner of his opponent for the majority nomination yesterday and the foregoing was one of a series of questions he asked. Here are some of the others:

"I call on Mr. Switzer to answer whether he would tolerate gambling in any form, and particularly under men of the character of John E. O'Malley and 'Bully' Skidmore."

Says Vice Backs Joe.

"The overloads of the vice districts are with Switzer because they say I have persecuted them for four long years and ultimately drove them out of business."

Mr. Switzer, an anxious public wants to know, direct from your own lips, whether, if elected, you would tolerate the reopening of the dens of infamy in the vice districts, and if you would 'lift the lid' which is now on tight.

"The ex-politicians who have been removed from service for drunkenness, collusion with criminals, neglect of duty, or other causes are all supporting Mr. Switzer. I want to know if he would, if elected, permit these men to be reinstated in their former positions. They and their friends expect they would be."

What About Sullivan Aid?
"In a published interview Mr. Switzer said that if elected mayor he would consult Roger Sullivan upon municipal questions concerning which he knew more than Robert. Having had abundant time in which to think this matter over, I would like to inquire if Mr. Switzer is still in the same frame of mind?"

"Mr. Switzer and his friends have criticized me on account of my advocacy of the widening of Twelfth street and the construction of the Michigan avenue boulevard link. Are you, Mr. Switzer, opposed to these improvements? And, if so, why?"

THOMPSON ASKS MOTHERS' VOTE TO BETTER SCHOOLS.
Pledges He Will Not Let Political Rule Him in Naming Members of Education Board.

Appointments to the board of education were taken as the subject of his address by William Hale Thompson, Republican candidate for mayor, last night in the Turner hall, Twenty-fourth street and Kedzie avenue.

"The mothers of Chicago have a right to know," said Mr. Thompson, "whether members of the school board to be appointed by the next mayor will be taken from members of a political machine on account of their ability to control wards in order to perpetuate the power of political bosses for financial profit to themselves. I pledge myself to appoint members of the school board whose qualifications fit them for the guidance and well being of the children of our city."

"I will keep my promise of giving to the mothers of Chicago greater representation on the school board. Political influence will have no bearing upon my selection."

"I ask the voters of Chicago to reflect whether my opponent, taking his public record as a guide for his future action, dare make such a pledge. Take the voters of Chicago, especially the women, to consider carefully the condition of our schools and their management. After careful analysis I feel confident that you will rightfully conclude for whom you will vote."

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HARRISON RULE CALLED CRUDE

Switzer Cites Unfinished Boulevard, Garbage Defect, and Crime.

MAYOR'S AIDS ERR.

That inertia and inefficiency are the chief characteristics of the present city administration are proved, said Robert M. Switzer last night, by the unsatisfactory condition of these important projects for public improvements:

Boulevard link, for which \$3,800,000 bonds have been voted; work delayed because of an strike by a city bureau.

City garbage plant, transformed from a profit producing to a deficit creating industry.

Bridge unusable, although money was voted four years ago.

Tuberculosis hospital, initial work four years ago, still unfinished.

Contagious diseases hospital unfinished after three years.

Summed Up in Statement.
Mr. Switzer, who is contending with Mayor Harrison for the Democratic nomination for mayor, summed up these matters in a formal statement, as he had no scheduled meetings yesterday. He made these points the basis for an assertion that Chicago would develop and become beautiful rapidly if the obstructions to progress were removed.

"One example of the inefficiency of the city government is shown in the boulevard link improvement," Mr. Switzer said. "The citizens of Chicago proposed it. Earnest, enthusiastic Chicagoans planned it. The people voted \$3,800,000 to pay for it. Then from sheer lack of efficiency a mistake was made by the mayor's board of public improvements that cost a year's delay in the work. Thousands of men who might be earning decent wages are idle. The delay costs the city \$500,000 a year, according to Charles H. Wacker."

Cites Garbage Plant Defect.
"Another instance of Harrison inefficiency is the city garbage plant for which \$800,000 was paid as the purchase price and for improvements. Before the city got it the private owners made a profit of \$100,000. But after the city has improved it to the extent of \$300,000 what is going to happen this year? The estimated income is \$150,000, leaving a deficit of \$254,000."

"Then consider Harrison inefficiency in the police department. Do you believe the people of Chicago are growing more lawless year by year? Of course you do not. Nevertheless the crime records of Chicago show that this is the fact. Nineteen murders a month last year against eleven murders a month the year before Harrison came back into office. Six hundred and seventy-seven holdups the year before Harrison came back into office, over 1,000 last year. And with that record he has the effrontery to tell you the burglars, the thieves, and the crooks are supposed to be getting better. Will they vote for 'safety first'?"

SCULLY FLAG PLAN INDORSED
Young People's Civic League Asks Wide Display of Colors on Primary Day.

County Judge Scully yesterday received a letter from the officials of the Young People's Civic league, congratulating him on his plan to display American flags at the polling booths on primary day. The league set forth it would be glad to cooperate with public officials in making primary day a great American flag day observation in Chicago. The suggestion was made that the flags also be displayed on municipal buildings, at all school houses, and at the homes of the citizens.

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RULING GIVES AMMUNITION TO UTILITIES BODY

Supreme Court Decision Grants

Right to Fix Train
Service.

Numerous important and interesting decisions were made yesterday by the Illinois Supreme Court.

The court held valid section 51 of the state utilities act, which gives the state utilities commission the right to fix train service and also to compel companies to carry out orders issued for the benefit of passengers.

Although no general attack upon the validity of the act creating the commission was embraced in the appeal which resulted in the decision, the finding of the court was considered as vastly strengthening the hand of the utilities body.

Station Is Ordered.

The case was that of Edward Beck against the Toledo, St. Louis and Western Railroad company. The road was ordered some time ago to maintain a station at Fancher. An appeal was taken to the Sangamon county Circuit court, which sustained the order. The case then was carried to the Supreme court to test the validity of the section of the law under which the order was entered.

Another decision by the Supreme court in the suit of Thomas Kincaid against the directors of a school district in Crawford county held that transfers of pupils from one school district to another must be made by joint action of parents and school officers.

Kincaid sent his children to the Robinson township high school. The directors of his home district ordered that they be sent to the Palestine high school. Kincaid appealed to the courts.

Ends Long Fight.

In a decision growing out of litigation by the state civil service commission to compel the Illinois board of agriculture and the Illinois Farmers' institute and their employees to comply with the civil service law the Supreme court ruled that these bodies are not departments of the state government, and therefore are not amenable to the regulations of the civil service commission. The decision ended a long fight by the departments against operating under civil service.

In a decision involving the organization

of the East Lynn high school district in the suit of Yarnall against the election for which was held in a blizzard, the court held that unusual weather conditions which prevent voters from attending such an election will not be considered as ground for invalidating the election.

In the case of Otto Schultz of Chicago, convicted in the Criminal court on a charge of killing Otto Schaffner in December, 1913, and given an indeterminate sentence to the penitentiary, the Supreme court found the instructions faulty, reversed the judgment, and granted a new trial.

Hairs Win \$37,500.

A bequest of \$37,500 to the Anti-Saloon league at Buchanan, Mich., in the will of Sarah A. Hawley of Chicago, will be divided among the heirs, the Supreme court decided in the suit by Marie L. Cox and other heirs to break the will.

Recoveries for death or injury in railroad accidents cannot be made under the provisions of the workmen's compensation law, the Supreme court held.

Railroads are not liable for a portion of the cost of paving, under special assessment, the approaches to subway, the court found in reversing the lower court at Decatur, where the city sued the Wabash railroad.

**UPHOLDS THE VALIDITY OF
FIELD TUNNEL ORDINANCE.**

Supreme Court Finds City Has the Right to Regulate Use of Sub-surfaces of Streets.

The validity of the Chicago ordinance granting authority to Marshall Field & Co. to construct a subway under Washington street is upheld in an opinion of the state Supreme court handed down yesterday by Justice Carter. The case was brought by State's Attorney Hoyne for a citizen, Stephen T. Mather. It was decided for the defendants and then appealed from the Cook County Circuit court.

The Supreme court goes into the matter of the jurisdiction of cities in the matter of determining, by ordinance, the use to which its streets may be put. It is held that private individuals have no superior rights.

As regards the sub-surface of streets, a city is given authority to determine to what extent the lower surface may be used without injury to the city, and its right to enact ordinances regulating the sub-surfaces is acknowledged accordingly. So far as the Chicago ordinance is concerned, the Supreme court holds that it is not in conflict with the constitution and the Circuit court's finding is affirmed.

M'COY ESTATE IS \$740,000.

Veteran Hotel Owner, Who Died a Few Months Ago, Leaves Large Holdings.

William McCoy, veteran hotel owner, who died a few months ago, left an estate of \$740,000.

U.S. TRADE BOARD A BUSINESS AID

For "Square Deal" and
Against Dishonest Methods,
J. E. Davies Says.

WIDE FIELD TO COVER.

New York, Feb. 17.—The attitude of the business men toward recent trust legislation and the aims and workings of the law creating the federal trade commission were discussed today before the members' council of the Merchants' association of New York by Joseph E. Davies, commissioner of the bureau of corporations, prominently mentioned for the chairmanship of the commission.

Law Passed to Gain Justice.
Mr. Davies said the spirit and purpose behind the law was that of "even handed justice; vigilant protection of the public interest from encroachments of dishonest business, and as well constructive help to business which is honestly and fairly desirous of accommodating itself to the law."

Outlining recent trust legislation, Commissioner Davies said the purpose of the Newlands-Covington act, which created the federal trade commission, "was to provide an expert body, which should be ever watchful of the public interest, but which should as well be clothed with power to obtain facts and information for the good of the public and business generally, and which should serve also as an agency not only to enforce the law, but to aid expeditiously in the total help to the accommodation of business to the requirements of the law."

Problems Are Not Simple.
"The problems of modern industrial business are not simple," Mr. Davies continued. "Our modern industrial organization involves one-sixth of the total wealth of the nation. It affects approximately one-tenth of our population directly. Its welfare and its prosperity, consistent with the public interest, is a matter of first concern to government."

"The greatest menace to the small business men or enterprises lies in unfair methods of competition employed by their larger rivals, who can withstand a campaign of price cutting. This practice, if permitted, breeds monopoly. If prevented in its inception by government agency, there is a guarantee of square deal to the smaller unit and an assurance that it will depend for its survival upon its own efficiency and find justification therein for its existence. The theory of this law provides that the rules of the road, based on fairness, shall be made clear and shall be enforced."

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Harder's Express & Van Company,
338 Calumet avenue.
Brink's Chicago Express Company,
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Lincoln Warehouse & Van Co., 428
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AUDITORIUM Feb. 20-21
An illustrated talk on what he saw at the front
in the "European war zone" by
IRVIN S. COBB
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GARRICK | Mat. Today, Regular
Washing's Birthday
It's a Man of Melancholy
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Passing Show
Geo. Monroe, Harry Fisher and 125
Gorgeous Passing Show Girls Demonstrate How
BOODLE BAFFLE
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THINK QUICK!!
AND DON'T DELAY
THE AMUSING DUMMIES COMEDY.
The Dummy
A POWERS' Next Mat. Sat. 2:30
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MONDAY NIGHT, FEB. 22
SCHMITZ' "WITH PSALM" and
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APOLLO MUSICAL CLUB
(500 Singers) Harrison M. Wild, Conductor
Tickets—50c to \$2.50 at Lyceum & Healy

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Mat. Sat. at 2:15—Extra Mat. Mon.
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EVERYBODY.
LAST TIME SUNDAY NIGHT, FEB. 22
F. Wright Neumann announces ILLINOIS
THIS SUNDAY APT. PIANO
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HEALTH LECTURES
MRS. VIOLA MIZELL-KIMMEL
Food Expert and Child Specialist
MASONIC TEMPLE 2:30 P. M.
Subject for Feb. 18, Hall 613.
"Right Eating a Science and a Fine Art"
Subject for Feb. 19, Hall 613.
"The Peril of Vaccination"

BLACKSTONE | Nights at 8. Mats. at 2
LAST THREE WEEKS
SEATS ON SALE FOR ALL PERFORMANCES
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Every Day from 11 A. M. to 11 P. M.
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Terrific Truth
Next Week—THE ROUND UP

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25c-50c—NO HIGHER
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NEXT WEEK—BOUGHT AND PAID FOR

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February 22 Is "Bundle Day"

Mandel Brothers' autos, in response to telephone requests, will call at any Chicago address for contributions and deliver plainly marked bundles free of charge to the Pugh Terminal Warehouse.

Mandel Brothers

Underwear shop—third floor

Silk-lisle vests and tights



in a special "early season" clearing of nearly twenty-one hundred garments

at about
half price 38c

They are medium weight, suitable for present or early spring wear. The vests in Dutch or low neck style and with short sleeves. The tights ankle or knee length. Regular sizes. All at 38c.

Mandel Brothers

The costume hall—fourth floor

The new sport skirts



of golf cord, and wool poplin skirts with patent leather belt—at 4.85

The sport skirts flaunt two patch pockets and a separate belt; and to prove their up-to-date-ness they come in sand and putty shades, battleship gray, blue or coral; also white. The poplin skirts are similar in style and are in black and navy; at 4.85.

Mandel Brothers

Furniture division—seventh floor

OF all things remarkable in the February furniture sale there is none to surpass this special:



92-inch tapestry-covered

Turkish davenport, 67.50

It is a massive, luxurious piece of furniture, hair stuffed, and made by workmen who "know their business."

Overstuffed pullman bed davenports; in Spanish mahogany; special in the Feb. furniture sale, at 29.75.

Tapestry covered arm chair for \$15

Mahogany-and-cane wing rockers are priced at 12.50.

Solid mahogany library tables, 19.50.

MARSHALL FIELD & COMPANY

February Sale of
Men's, Women's and Children's

Shoes

Now in Progress

In All Shoe Sections

Correct, smart Shoes; stout, serviceable Shoes; and Slippers of all kinds. A Shoe for practically every possible purpose now on sale at greatly reduced prices.

Political Lieutenants

Patrolmen were three orders, excepting of the Lake street, when eighty men were charged of being John

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Mayors Harrison. He reason to believe it and

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PRICES OF WHEAT FOR CHICAGO.

Close	High	Low
Monday, Feb. 17.....	1.00	1.00
Tuesday, Feb. 16.....	1.00	1.00
Wednesday, Feb. 15.....	1.00	1.00
Thursday, Feb. 14.....	1.00	1.00
Friday, Feb. 13.....	1.00	1.00
Saturday, Feb. 12.....	1.00	1.00
Sunday, Feb. 11.....	1.00	1.00
Monday, Feb. 10.....	1.00	1.00
Tuesday, Feb. 9.....	1.00	1.00
Wednesday, Feb. 8.....	1.00	1.00
Thursday, Feb. 7.....	1.00	1.00
Friday, Feb. 6.....	1.00	1.00
Saturday, Feb. 5.....	1.00	1.00
Sunday, Feb. 4.....	1.00	1.00
Monday, Feb. 3.....	1.00	1.00
Tuesday, Feb. 2.....	1.00	1.00
Wednesday, Feb. 1.....	1.00	1.00

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

Extensive profits were realized in the Boston market today, with the Dow Jones index closing at 111.14, up from 110.14 on Wednesday. The market was characterized by a general upward movement, with many stocks showing significant gains. The volume of trading was heavy, reflecting the optimism of investors.

Stock	High	Low	Close
Am. Steel	100	98	99
Am. Tobacco	100	98	99
Am. Cotton	100	98	99
Am. Sugar	100	98	99
Am. Oil	100	98	99
Am. Lumber	100	98	99
Am. Paper	100	98	99
Am. Glass	100	98	99
Am. Rubber	100	98	99
Am. Leather	100	98	99
Am. Textile	100	98	99
Am. Chemical	100	98	99
Am. Pharmaceutical	100	98	99
Am. Food	100	98	99
Am. Beverage	100	98	99
Am. Entertainment	100	98	99
Am. Transportation	100	98	99
Am. Utilities	100	98	99
Am. Real Estate	100	98	99
Am. Finance	100	98	99
Am. Insurance	100	98	99
Am. Banking	100	98	99
Am. Trust	100	98	99
Am. Investment	100	98	99
Am. Bond	100	98	99
Am. Equity	100	98	99
Am. Preferred	100	98	99
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Am. High-Risk	100	98	99
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